

## IN THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF IOWA

**IN RE: ASSIGNMENT AND COURT  
SERVICE SCHEDULE IN JUDICIAL  
ELECTION DISTRICTS 5A AND 5B  
FOR 2010**

**ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2009-37**

The Iowa Supreme Court has authorized a reasonable travel budget for F.Y. 2010. However, travel expenses will be closely monitored by Court Administration. The assignment set forth herein is subject to modification as budget constraints require.

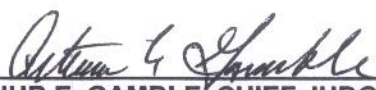
**NOW THEREFORE IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:**

1. **Rotations.** Beginning Monday, January 2, 2010, trial sessions and rotations in Election Districts 5A and 5B shall be held in accordance with the schedule marked Exhibit "A" attached hereto and by this reference incorporated herein.
2. **Trial Dates.** Civil and criminal jury trials in Election Districts 5A and 5B shall be scheduled to commence on the days set forth in Exhibit "B" attached hereto and incorporated herein. Jury and non-jury trials shall also be assigned at other times to fully utilize available judges and facilities.
3. **Court Service Schedule.** Court Service Day shall be held in every county of the Fifth District as set out in Exhibit "C" attached hereto and incorporated herein.

If the Court Service Days ordered herein are inadequate to handle the business of any county, court administration may schedule additional Court Service Days on an as needed basis. Conversely, if weekly court service is unnecessary in any county, court administration may schedule short non-jury trials on Court Service Days.
4. **Utilization of Judges.** Court administration shall at all times fully utilize all of the Judges of the Fifth Judicial District without regard to judicial election district boundaries. Court Administration shall assign judges efficiently and monitor travel expenses on a monthly basis. Research and ruling time shall not be scheduled. However, judges shall have necessary research and ruling time as needed upon notification of court administration so long as all scheduled cases are covered.

**Effective Date.** This Order shall be effective January 4, 2010.

So **Ordered** this 15 day of October, 2009.

  
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**ARTHUR E. GAMBLE, CHIEF JUDGE**  
**FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF IOWA**

Copies to:

District Court/District Associate Court Judges - 5th District  
Senior Judges/Magistrates - 5th District  
Clerks of Court/County Attorneys - 5th District  
Case Coordinators - 5<sup>th</sup> District  
County Attorneys - 5<sup>th</sup> District  
Court Reporters/Judicial Assistants/Court Attendants - 5th District  
5th District Liaison Justice  
State Court Administrator  
Director - Department of Correctional Services  
Chief Juvenile Court Officer  
District/Assistant District Court Administrators  
Court Administration Staff  
Boards of Supervisors - 5th District

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EXHIBIT "A" TO ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2009-37  
2010 ELECTION DISTRICTS 5A AND 5B COURT SERVICE DAY SCHEDULE AND ASSIGNMENT

County/Court Service Date	JAN-MAR	APR-JUN	JUL-SEP	OCT-DEC
Dallas				
Civil/Tuesday				
Criminal/Friday	Joy	Goodhue	Huscher	Hulse
Madison/Monday	Mertz	Joy	Goodhue	Huscher
Jasper				
Criminal/Monday				
Civil/Tuesday	Huscher	Mertz	Hulse	Joy
Warren				
Criminal/Monday				
Civil/Tuesday	Hulse	Huscher	Mertz	Goodhue
Marion/Friday				
Guthrie/Monday	Goodhue	Hulse	Joy	Mertz
Adair/Every Other Monday				
Union/Friday	Phipps	Lloyd	Christensen	Kimes
Ringgold/Every Other Monday				
Adams/Every Other Monday Opposite Ringgold				
Taylor/Tuesday	Lloyd	Phipps	Kimes	Christensen
Lucas/Monday				
Wayne/Every Other Tuesday	Christensen	Kimes	Phipps	Lloyd
Clarke/Thursday				
Decatur/Every Other Friday	Kimes	Christensen	Lloyd	Phipps

**EXHIBIT "B" TO ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2009-37  
CRIMINAL AND CIVIL JURY TRIAL STARTING DAYS IN  
ELECTION DISTRICTS 5A AND 5B**

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Adair		<b>Crim/civil jtr</b>	<b>Crim jtr</b>		
Adams			<b>Civil/crim jtr</b>	<b>Crim jtr</b>	
Clarke	<b>Crim/civil jtr</b>	<b>Crim jtr</b>			
Dallas	<b>Civil jtr</b>	<b>Crim jtr</b>	<b>Crim jtr</b>		
Decatur			<b>Crim/civil jtr</b>		
Guthrie		<b>Civil/crim jtr</b>	<b>Crim jtr</b>		
Jasper		<b>Civil jtr</b>	<b>Crim/civil jtr</b>		
Lucas		<b>Crim/civil jtr</b>	<b>Crim jtr</b>		
Madison		<b>Civil/crim jtr</b>	<b>Crim jtr</b>		
Marion	<b>Civil jtr</b>	<b>Crim jtr</b>			
Ringgold		<b>Civil jtr</b>	<b>Crim jtr</b>		
Taylor			<b>Civil/crim jtr</b>	<b>Crim jtr</b>	
Union	<b>Crim/civil jtr</b>	<b>Crim jtr</b>			
Warren		<b>Civil jtr</b>	<b>Crim/civil jtr</b>		
Wayne			<b>Crim/civil jtr</b>		



**EXHIBIT "C" ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2009-37  
2010 COURT SERVICE & JURY TRIAL DAYS**

**Adair:**

- Court Service every other Monday
- Juvenile Court Service on 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of the month

**Adams:**

- Court Service every other Monday
- Juvenile Court Service on 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month

**Clarke:**

- Court Service on Thursday
- Juvenile Court Service on the 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of the month

**Dallas:**

- Court Service on Tuesday
- Juvenile Court Service on the 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday, Contested on the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Wednesday

**Decatur:**

- Court Service every Friday
- Juvenile Court Service on the 4<sup>th</sup> Monday of the month

**Guthrie:**

- Court Service on Monday
- Juvenile Court Service on the 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of the month

**Jasper:**

- Court Service – Criminal on Monday, Civil on Tuesday
- Juvenile Court Service on Friday

**Lucas:**

- Court Service on Monday
- Juvenile Court Service on the 4<sup>th</sup> Friday of the month

**Madison:**

- Court Service on Monday
- Juvenile Court Service every other Thursday

**Marion:**

- Court Service on Friday
- Juvenile Court Service on Wednesday

**Ringgold:**

- Court Service every other Monday
- Juvenile Court Service on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday of the month

**Taylor:**

- Court Service on Tuesday
- Juvenile Court Service on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the month

**Union:**

- Court Service on Friday
- Juvenile Court Service on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month

**Warren:**

- Court Service – Criminal on Monday, Civil on Tuesday
- Juvenile Court Service: Wednesdays – Delinquencies & CINA, Thursdays – Delinquencies & CINA;

**Wayne:**

- Court Service every other Tuesday
- Juvenile Court Service on 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of the month